

AN ORDINANCE 9 8 0 2 4

RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF A \$1,600,000.00, FOUR (4) YEAR GRANT APPLICATION TO THE SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (SAMHSA), WHICH, IF AWARDED, WILL INCREASE THE NUMBER OF SERVICE PROVIDERS IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S VICTIMS ADVOCACY PROGRAM, THEREBY INCREASING AND IMPROVING SERVICES TO CHILDREN TRAUMATIZED BY DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

WHEREAS, SAMHSA has grant funds available in the amount of \$1,600,000.00, over a four (4) year period, which, if awarded, will increase the number of service providers in the San Antonio Police Department's Victim Advocacy Program, thereby increasing and improving services to children traumatized by domestic violence; and

WHEREAS, the grant's primary goals will be to provide state of the art clinical treatment to children and adolescents impacted by traumatic stress, expanding and evaluating Child Service Program's effectiveness of treatment, and services to mitigate the impact of traumatic stress; and

WHEREAS, no City matching funds are required; **NOW THEREFORE:**

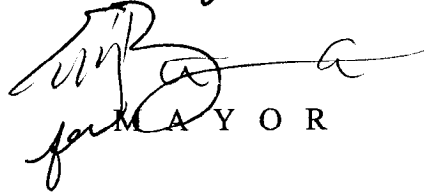
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:


SECTION 1. The submission of a \$1,600,000.00, four (4) year grant application to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), and any actions taken necessary to effect said acceptance are hereby ratified. The City Manager, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute any and all necessary documentation to effect said ratification.

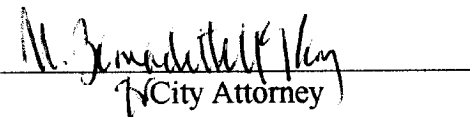
SECTION 2. Funding will be accomplished by way of a subsequent Ordinance should the grant funds be awarded.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall take effect ten days from the date of passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of August, 2003.


MAYOR

ATTEST: 
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM: 
City Attorney